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WESTERN DISTRICT OF LOUISIANA

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MONROE DIVISION

JOHNNY RAY WILLIAMS, JR.

CIVIL ACTION NO. 08-0557

VS.

SECTION P

STATE OF LOUISIANA, ET AL.

, 2008.

JUDGE JAMES

MAGISTRATE JUDGE HAYES

JUDGMENT

For the reasons contained in the Report and Recommendation of the Magistrate Judge filed previously herein, noting the absence objections thereto, and concurring with the Magistrate Judge's findings under the applicable law;

IT IS ORDERED that this complaint be construed as a petition for *habeas corpus* (28 U.S.C. §2254) and that it be **DENIED AND DISMISSED WITHOUT PREJUDICE** because Williams failed to exhaust all available State court remedies prior to filing suit.

THUS DONE AND SIGNED, in chambers, in Monroe, Louisiana, on this da

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ROBERT G. JAMES

UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE